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## **PRESS RELEASE**

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NATURE OF CALL: D.A.R.E. GRADUATION

LOCATION OF CALL: PENRYN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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### **SHERIFF EDWARD N. BONNER RELEASES THE FOLLOWING:**

D.A.R.E. graduation for the Penryn Elementary School 6<sup>th</sup> grad class will be held on Friday, January 3, 2003, at 1 p.m. Top honor students include Brad Fischer and Jennifer Regan. Top essayists are Hannah Dobb and Danielle Fernandez.

Guest speaker at the D.A.R.E. graduation will be Deputy Van Bogardus

Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.) is a comprehensive drug and violence prevention education program for children in kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. D.A.R.E. represents a collaborative effort between school and law enforcement personnel with a curriculum designed to equip elementary, middle and high school students with the appropriate skills to resist substance abuse, violence and gangs. Specially trained D.A.R.E. deputies are assigned to teach at every elementary and middle school in the unincorporated areas of Placer County, and each high school is assigned a School Resource Officer

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